

May 23, 1975

1 - Mr. Wannall  
(Attn: Mr. Schwartz)

Mr. Morton H. Halperin  
122 Maryland Avenue, N. E.  
Washington, D. C. 20002

Dear Mr. Halperin:

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Reference is made to my letter to you dated April 6th, regarding your Request for the "Delimitation Agreement of 1948."

Coordination of this matter with the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) has disclosed three documents which are pertinent to your request. It is my understanding that two of the three documents have been released to you by that agency, and I am enclosing with this letter, the third document. You will find this letter dated October 2, 1948, from former FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to Mr. Frank G. Bissor, then the Assistant Director for Policy Coordination, CIA, contains certain deletions. The material deleted refers to the same material existed in one of the two documents furnished to you by CIA, and concerning which CIA asserted exemption provisions found in Title 5, United States Code, Section 552 (b) (1) and (b) (3). These provisions relate to matters that warrant classification and those which are specifically exempted from disclosure by statute. It is considered appropriate for the same exemption provisions to be cited by this Bureau in connection with the deleted portion.

You have thirty days from receipt of this letter to appeal to the Attorney General from any denial contained herein. Appeals should be directed in writing to the Attorney General (Attention: Director of Information Appeals Unit), Washington, D. C. 20530.

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Mr. Morton H. Halperin

The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal" or "Information Appeal." Following the Attorney General's decision, judicial review is available in the district of your residence or principal place of business, or in the District of Columbia, where the records are situated.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

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Enclosure

- 1 - Freedom of Information Act Coordinator - Enclosure  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Attention: Mr. Charles Savage  
Washington, D. C.
  
- 1 - The Deputy Attorney General  
Attn: Susan M. Hauser

NOTE: See copy of H. C. Fleister memo to Mr. W. R. Wannall, dated 5/7/75, captioned "Morton Halperin, FOIA Request," copy of which is attached. The material CIA requested to be excised has been deleted as described in this letter, and the Bureau file copy of the letter is not classified. Contact with CIA FOIA Section discloses the deletion of the material in the CIA letter dated 9/22/48 accomplishes the declassification of those documents. This has been coordinated with Intelligence Division. The original Bureau document is found in 65-48066-9.